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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): T. HIROI, et al  
Serial No.: 10/062,666  
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For: PATTERN INSPECTION METHOD AND SYSTEM THEREFOR  
Group: 2881  
Examiner: K. Fernandez

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 2, 2004

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicant(s) hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing of a response within the second month subsequent to the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed January 2, 2004. A payment in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (501.41125X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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